

POCAHONTAS TIMES.

It is reported that a newspaper will soon be started at Bartow.

There was a considerable rise in the Greenbrier Sunday night.

Joseph Aldridge is at home from the lumber camps at Haynes.

J. A. McLaughlin has returned from a two weeks visit to Boar Springs.

Miss Ada Beard and Mrs. Lucy Hill of Academy, were in Marlinton Wednesday.

Rev. T. J. Wickline, preached a sternly discourse at the Methodist church Sunday morning, from John x, 10.

Memorial Day was observed in Marlinton by a turnout of the Mechanics, were addressed by Rev. Wm. T. Price, at the Methodist church.

Dr. Yeager got a bad cut on the hand last week from a broken bottle. Three stitches were required to close the gap.

Dr. H. W. Randolph of Richmond is expected in the county this week. He will assist Dr. Ar buckle in the management of a hospital at Cass.

Rev. Geo. T. Tyler, presiding elder of the Lewisburg district, will preach in the Methodist church at Marlinton next Friday night the 5th inst.

Thanks are hereby tendered James P. McLeod of Bridgewater, Va., for complimentary invitation to attend the closing exercises of Bridgewater college.

William Mann Killed.

At Thurmond while acting as a police officer, William Mann, of this place, was shot and killed last Monday. He was one of the many young men who have gone from this county and risked their lives in the preservation of peace and good order in the New River coal fields since the strike began.

Last Monday he was at Thurmond and went with another police officer by the name of Dixon to the place where some colored people were having a dance. A good deal of drinking had been going on and some of the negro men were quarrelsome and dangerous. The two officers went into the room and quelled a disturbance which was in full swing when they arrived.

After they went outside and sat down and soon the riot commenced again. Dixon went into the house to see what the trouble was and threatened to arrest some of the unruly members of the crowd. At that the negroes fired at him and one of the bullets passing Dixon struck Mann in the back as he was seated on the railroad track and ranging forward inflicted a fatal wound. The shooting occurred at 11 p. m., and the victim expired at 6 p. m.

The negro who fired the shot was arrested and is now in custody. There was a great deal of talk of lynching him but the law prevailed and he was lodged in jail.

The deceased was about 31 years of age and is survived by his wife, who before marriage was Miss Verdie Clark, of Academy. The remains will be brought to Marlinton today, Thursday, where the interment will take place.

The Horse-Shoe Bend.

On the Greenbrier Division between the stations of Anthony and Spring Creek is a bend in the railroad that caused the afternoon sun to play strange freaks. In going south the sun shines in at the western windows until the curve is reached and then in a little while the sun comes in at the eastern window. The shadow of the window-frame travels around on the window sill until it is at right angles. It then starts back as the train comes to the south again. The curve is like the letter S. A high rock on the top of the mountain can be observed as the train passes by. The rock then recedes from sight and presently comes in sight again and you pass it the second time, only you see the reverse side. This rock is marked by some pine trees.

Mr and Mrs Sheldon Moore were in Marlinton Tuesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Tyree, a daughter, May 30, 1903.

Rev. and Mrs. Nickel are in Monroe this week visiting friends and relatives.

Fishermen on Beaver Dam report seeing a bear on the McClintic place.

Abraham Harrison is moving his stock of goods to his new building on Main street.

Parts of the Levels were visited by a water spout on Sunday. Stamping Creek was reported higher than for years.

The Warn Lumber Company has been incorporated with its principal office at Mill Point, W. Va. The object as stated by the Charleston Mail is to buy and sell timber lands. Incorporators, Wm. C. Krueger, W. K. Thomas, W. W. Demsey and A. E. Kratzer, all of Johnstown, Pa.

The wheat crop in the Greenbrier Valley is pronounced by some to be the best ever raised here. There can be no question but that it is a magnificent crop that gives a big margin of profit to the wheat grower and brings much money into the country.

Col. J. L. Buery, the largest resident land-owner of Fayette county, died last Monday of agonia pectoris, at his home at Beury in that county. Col. Buery came to the New River coal fields some thirty years ago and has figured largely in the development of that region. Starting without capital he accumulated a large fortune and was ranked as one of the millionaires of this state. His wife died a daughter and two sons survive him.

Big Deeds.

A deed dated April 1, 1903, has been admitted to record in the county clerk's office from the Greenbrier River Lumber company and John T. McGraw to the Pocahontas Tanning Company, conveying over 100,000 acres situated in Randolph, Pocahontas, Bath and Highland counties. Almost all of this land is in Pocahontas county. The deed covers eighty pages of Deed Book No. 34.

On the same day a trust deed was recorded from the Pocahontas Tanning Company to the Security Trust company of Wheeling, conveying said lands, to secure a bond issue of \$1,000,000 in bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 each, at 5 per cent. interest, payable on the 1st day of April, 1908.

A sinking fund is created to consist of fifty cents per thousand for every thousand feet of lumber cut on the lands, said fund not to be less than \$100,000 annually, which is used to redeem such said bonds as may be drawn by lot. With the consent of the trustee the party of the first part may sell said lands at the rate of not less than six dollars per acre for lands below the forks of the Greenbrier River and not less than \$15 per acre for lands above the forks of the Greenbrier River, the proceeds to be used to redeem said bonds.

The deed of trust is signed by John G. Hoffman, Jr., president of the Pocahontas Tanning Company, and by Frank C. Hoffman secretary and by C. O. Hoffman secretary of the Security Trust Company of Wheeling, West Virginia, by J. N. Vance, president and L. E. Sands, secretary.

This deed consists of 130 pages of typewritten manuscript.

B & O Camp.

Mr Editor, we have just moved and thought you might want a few pointers.

We are now at Three Forks of Williams River, where we are sliding logs on oil.

William Gray is foreman; Joe Durbin, bookkeeper; Durbin and Kellison, boilers, and Wallace Lange, stable boss and lobby saw. There eight teams at work and about 25 men.

The ramp harvest is over. Matt Hambriek has about completed his job of logging for the company.

Jim Clevenger has gone home just because its a ten pound girl. Billy McAlpin has gone for parts unknown, also Rodney Buzard.

Joe Beverage got his foot badly mashed, but is recovering rapidly under the skillful management of Dr Hammons.

Mike Cogar, the well known clog dancer is here with Charley Rose as musician.

There was a hop, step and skip at Jesse Hammonds the other night.

Auburn Pyles is painting slide. He is a good painter, but oiling slide is not teaching school.

Henry Fisher, General manager of the works had the misfortune to get a fine horse crippled the other day.

George Miller is driving supply wagen from Cowen.

Some of the boys will attend the circus at Weston, the 29th, and Madden will build a new dwelling house.

TIMOTHY QUILL DRIVER.

Arboreal.

The Quarterly Meeting was well attended, the largest crowd in years.

Mrs A. S. Gillespie is slowly improving from an attack of fever. Miss Vivian Cooper is staying with James Gillespie's family.

Orin Gillespie had the misfortune to get his foot cut recently. Morgan Rader broke his ankle last week.

Willie E. Arbogast returned to Travelers Repose where he has been laboring some time.

Gilmer Sharp was among those attending Quarterly Meeting from Frost.

Sherman Sutton is building a fine cellar, and James T. Sutton is erecting a large barn.

Mrs Gus Eskridge, of Academy is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs J. W. Riley.

Charlie Eskridge is in town.

Uncle Bill.

John D. Gibson had a fine mare to die while hauling lumber to Marlinton last week.

Dr. Marshall is able to be out gain.

Green Mount, Virginia.

Mr Editor—I am a native of Pocahontas, but have been in Rockingham the past three months in Rockingham. It is a beautiful county but I like my native county better. The entire Valley is at its prettiest. The crops look well indeed, especially wheat and barley, corn and vegetables. Corn has been worked once, and I have eaten ripe tomatoes from our garden. A great many sweet potatoes are grown here. I never saw sweet potato vines before. Grain and grass will soon be ripe as the season is much earlier here than in Pocahontas.

We often hear that the Virginians of the Valley are more industrious than these of the mountains of Pocahontas. We don't believe this altogether. Virginia has fine people, kind, honest and upright, who think of others beside themselves.

The people are principally Dunkards and Mennonites. There are few of my church, Methodists, who are so strong in Pocahontas.

I have had the pleasure of visiting the town of Harrisonburg several time. I live six miles north of there. It is a fine town but we believe Marlinton to be making rapid strides to be larger. I do not get the Times until Saturday and am always anxious to read the news of my dear friends in Pocahontas. It has been almost a year since I was there.

The prospect for fruit is not so good. Pocahontas grass is ahead of that of Rockingham, although a number of cattle are raised.

—A Pocahontas Girl.

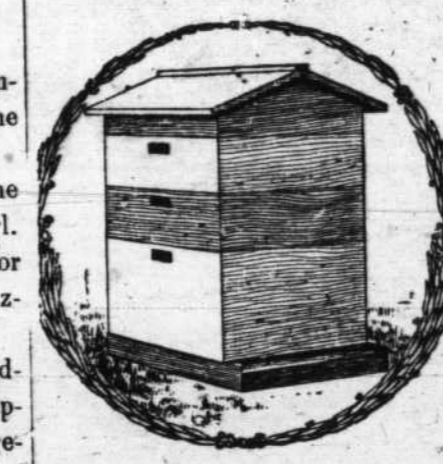
Musical Association.

I am authorized by the people of Arboreale to announce that the Pocahontas County Musical Association to be held at Arboreale church June 25 to 27, 1903.

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Order of Publication.

At a circuit Court held on the 8th day of April, 1903.

In the matter of the sale of Mt. Lebanon church of the M. E. C. on the Greenbrier Circuit of Virginia Conference.

On the application of the trustees of said Mt. Lebanon church, notice is hereby given that the said trustees have filed a petition to the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County praying that said church property be sold and the proceeds be used in paying for the building of the new church on said circuit. Any person interested may appear and resist said application.

Witness, J. H. Patterson clerk of said court at the court house on the 1st day of June, 1903.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk. T. S. McNeel, Sol.

Commissioner's Sale of Land.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, made at the April Term, 1903, in the chancery cause therein pending in which Worthington Hardware Company is plaintiff and M. R. Malcomb and others are defendants, the undersigned special commissioners will on

Tuesday, June 16th, 1903, the first day of the June Term of said court, at the front door of the court house of said county, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following described real estate situated in Pocahontas county, West Virginia, as follows:

A tract of 119 acres of land situated in the Edray district on Greenbrier River, just across the river from the railroad. This land is partly improved and has on it farm buildings. The timber has been sold. It is the land on which Mrs Margaret R. Malcomb lives.

TERMS OF SALE—So much cash in hand as will be necessary to pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and for the residue upon a credit of six and twelve months, with interest, the purchaser executing bond with good security. The title to be retained as ultimate security.

H. S. RUCKER, ANDREW PRICE, Special Commissioners.

I, J. H. Patterson, clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above named special commissioners have given bond as required in said decree.

J. H. Patterson, Clerk.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

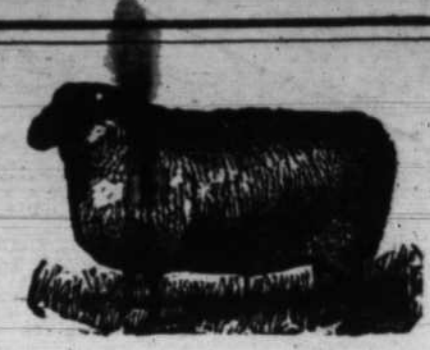
Under authority vested in me as trustee by deed dated March 20, 1902, of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, in Trust Deed Book No 1 at page 194 executed to me as trustee by S. J. Boggs and Sophronia A. Boggs, his wife, to secure the Bank of Marlinton, in the payment of a loan, and default having been made in the payment of the sum of \$150.00 and interest, and being requested so to do by said beneficiary, the undersigned trustee will on

Tuesday, June 23rd, 1903, at the front door of the Court-house of Pocahontas County, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following real estate:

The one-half acre lot in the village of Frost in said county in the angle made by the intersection of the Dunmore and Frost road and Knapps Creek road. Said land has on it a valuable store building. This lot is the one on which the storehouse of Herold & Moore formerly stood.

TERMS OF SALE: One third Cash, the residue in two equal installments to become due in six and twelve months respectively, with interest, the purchaser to execute notes with good security, the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid.

ANDREW PRICE, TRUSTEE.



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PAUL GOLDEN!

Commissioner's Sale of Land.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas county, West Virginia, made at the October term, 1902, and an order made in the same cause at the April term, 1903, in the chancery cause therein pending in which H. S. Rucker is plaintiff and Lanty McCarty and others are defendants, the undersigned special commissioners will on

Tuesday, June 16, 1903, the first day of the June term of the said court, at the front door of the court house of said county, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated in Pocahontas County, West Virginia, as follows:

The one sixth each undivided interest belonging to Dorsey McCarty and Charley McCarty, and the life estate of Lanty McCarty in 115 acres of land situated on Brown's Mountain, adjoining the lands of Jasper Dilley and others, being a part of the land formerly owned by Ralph Wanless.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and expenses of sale, and for the residue the purchaser shall give bonds with good and approved security, payable in six, twelve and eighteen months, respectively from day of sale, bearing interest from date, and a lien upon the land will be retained as ultimate security.

GEO. R. RICHARDSON, H. M. LOCKRIDGE, Special Commissioners.

I, J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above named special commissioners have given bond as required in said decree.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of the late Dr. J. M. Cunningham will present them properly proven, in the next thirty days to the undersigned administrator.

All persons indebted to this estate will make arrangements to settle same at once as my time is limited.

JOHN WAGG, Admr. J. M. Cunningham, Decd.

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